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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Jay A. Vorndran

For (title): **METHOD OF APPLYING FLUX TO MOLTEN METAL**

1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application (35 U.S.C. § 119(e), 120 or 121)

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/396,606 filed July 16, 2002.

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3. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

17 Page(s) of Specification
3 Page(s) of Claims
2 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

3 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney
1 Page(s) of abstract
3 Page(s) of Application Data Sheet
1 Page(s) Non-publication Request

4. Additional Papers Enclosed

Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. 1.98)

Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B)

Citations (10 References)

5. Declaration or Oath

Not enclosed.

6. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

7. Language

English

8. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to American Metal Chemical Corporation will follow.

9. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$750.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	12	- 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	1	- 3 =	0 x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00

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10. Small Entity Statement(s)

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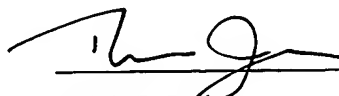
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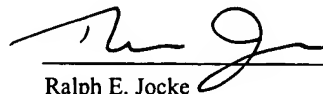
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It is hereby certified that the invention disclosed and claimed in the above-referenced application has not been and (unless this non-publication request is first rescinded in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(b)) will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or filed under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication of the application at eighteen (18) months after filing.

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